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FORT ROTAL, Jan. 31, 1863. 5

Rear-Admiral S. F. DUPONI—Sir: I have to report that at half-past 4 this morning two iron-clad rams from Charleston, in the obscurity of a thick haze, and the meon having just set succeeded in passing the bar near the Ship Channel, unperceived by the squadron, and made an attack upon it, this ship being the first encountered.

Particular vigilance was exhibited by the officers and crew in the expectation of a vessel to run the blockade.

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Acting Assistant Surgeon Mason of the Mercedita.

The James Adger, Commander Patierson, was also towed back. She was just coming into Port Royal, and was ordered back to Charleston.

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To the Hen. Gidden Welles, Secretary of the Nevy. COMMANDER STELLWAGEN'S REPORT.

The following is the report of Commander Stell-wagen:

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I have the mention the surgeon of the ship, Assistant Surgeon Jacob H. Gotwold, who was killed while in the section because the wounded.

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also a practical philanthropist. Among other valuable donations to the contrabands of the Port Royal Mission sent from her well-filled emporium, were several of her unrivated models for dress cutting.

The latest intelligence from the Ogeochee is that five contrabands—one the pilot of the Nashville—officers of this vessel report that the iron give described from Fort McAllister on Wednesday in a small row-night, secreting themselves in a small row-night product Daylight had reached Morehead City from the blockading Squadron off Charleston. The officers of this vessel report that the iron give boats Passaic and Montauk, a number of mortar

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